

United States v. Jack Carpenter III  
Eastern District of Michigan Southern Division

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Jack Carpenter III

Case No. 23-20152

Mark A. Goldsmith

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U.S DISTRICT COURT  
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Motion to remove Counsel of Record and proceed pro se with  
Standby Counsel

Oral hearing Requested -

Counsel of Record is not a member of the Bar of Michigan, and is before the Court under  
E.D. Mich. L.R. 83.20(f) without local counsel as required. The 6<sup>th</sup> Circuit requires strict  
adherence to E.D. Mich. L.R. 83.20(f). As such, J.P. Nagues III cannot represent defendant  
as he is not allowed to practice before this Court without local counsel entered for  
appearance at every hearing.

This means that defendant has been without counsel for ~22 months. All orders of the  
Court must be reversed during this period, and all filings by Mr. Nagues must be  
stricken from the record. All motions stricken under 28 USCS § 1654 hybrid  
defense must be reinstated as no Counsel was properly before the Court.

Michigan Rules of Professional Conduct require counsel be competent in the area of  
law relating to the case (MRPC 1). As such, stand-by counsel must be competent  
in 28 USCS § 1604 Sovereign Immunity, the Law of Nations, what constitutes the  
formation of a Nation, defunct State, and Recognized State.

I certify this is one page in length.

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